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FRENCH POURING INTO GERMANY

JOHNSON BURIES RIVALS IN AVALANCHE IN MICH. PRIMARY

HEAVY IS LEAD OVER GEN. WOOD

Hoover Runs Well on Both G. O. P. and Democratic Tickets.

BULLETIN.
(TIMES BUREAU AT STATE CAPITAL)
DETROIT, Mich., April 6.—The count in 1,209 out of 2,421 precincts throughout the state at noon today showed a pronounced gain for Johnson. His lead over Wood jumped to 50,713. The vote follows: Johnson 117,502; Wood 66,544; Lowden, 30,713; Hoover 34,752.

BULLETIN.
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
NEW YORK, April 6.—Senator Hiram M. Johnson today described his victory at the Michigan presidential primaries as a "blow by the common people at the type of politics controlled by the big financial interests."
"I am extremely grateful to the people of Michigan at the result of yesterday's primary," he said. "It is a demonstration that an American may seek the most exalted office in this land upon simply the attributes God has given him and without the aid of organized politics or vast financial interests which exploit politics."
"The Michigan primary is the first big test of popular sentiment in this campaign."

BY E. RUSSELL PALMER
(STAFF CORRESPONDENT I. N. SERVICE)
DETROIT, Mich., April 6.—Hiram Johnson has won the republican presidential nomination in Michigan, by the greatest vote ever piled up by a candidate in any primary election in the state. With 1,165 precincts out of 2,421 in the state already counted, the Californian is leading by 41,962 votes over Leonard Wood, his closest opponent.

JOHNSON SWEEPS DETROIT.
Johnson swept the city of Detroit clean. Here he beat Wood by more than four votes to one. His majority over Wood in the 219 precincts of the city proper was 62,841.

This gave him a lead that Wood is not expected to approach by 30,000 in other parts of the state. Wood's lead in 416 precincts outside of Detroit was less than 10,000 votes.

HOOPER CROWDS LOWDEN.
Gov. Lowden was trailing 30,000 votes behind Wood when half of the state had been counted. Hoover was bringing up the rear.

The vote in 1,165 precincts including Detroit, complete, was as follows:
Johnson 107,586; Wood 69,183; Lowden 32,298; Hoover 39,782.

JOHNSON SWAMPS WOOD.
In a veritable landslide of ballots Detroit hurled Johnson so far out in the lead that it was evident early in the count that Wood could not hope to overtake him. The complete vote in Detroit's 219 precincts follows:
Johnson 69,004; Wood 16,143; Hoover 10,530; Lowden 11,009; Pershing, 2,770.

In 516 precincts outside of Detroit the vote was:
Wood 43,840; Johnson 24,782; Lowden 22,289; Hoover 17,224.

RUSK NECK AND NECK.
This includes a large slice of the upper Peninsula, which was Wood's one redoubtable stronghold. In other parts of the state Johnson was running neck and neck with his chief opponent.

Congressman Louis Cramton, Johnson's state manager, announced this morning that Johnson's majority over Wood in the whole state would be close to 30,000 votes.

EDWARDS CARRIES DETROIT.
Gov. Edwards of New York led Hoover by such a wide margin in the city of Detroit that there is a possibility that he may have won the whole state. The latest figures on the democratic race follow:
Edwards 7,142; Hoover 4,877.

McAdoo, Palmer and Bryan are trailing far behind in that order.

B. & O. MEN VOTE TO GO ON STRIKE

(BULLETIN)
It is reported from Gary late this afternoon that the Baltimore & Ohio (B. & O.) and the mill switchmen 600 strong would go out with the night shift tonight. They demand 90-95 cents an hour with an hour bonus in the day.

Switchmen and yardmen employed in the Baltimore and Ohio Chicago Terminal Company yards at East Chicago yesterday afternoon voted to join with other switchmen and yardmen of the Chicago district in the "outlaw strike." Only a few were opposed to striking and the strikers are predicting that the strike will be won within a short time. The few union leaders who opposed the "outlaw" action are working hard to keep trains moving, and secure men to replace those who are on strike.

Thomas Is Running On On His Record

Hammond Man Candidate for Prosecutor, Has Had A Wide Experience.

Attorney William A. Thomas, of Hammond, republican candidate for Prosecuting Attorney for Lake county is making a thorough and careful canvass of the county, in his endeavor to land the nomination. Mr. Thomas was Prosecuting Attorney's deputy for the Superior Courts at Hammond until the Criminal Court was established at Crown Point. Since that time he has had charge of all the work in the Criminal Court up until the 1st of



WILLIAM A. THOMAS

March of this year at which time he quit work as deputy so that he could make his campaign. It is admitted by all who know him that Mr. Thomas has ability as a lawyer that is worthy of recognition. He has been actively engaged in the practice of law for the last twenty years. As deputy prosecutor he has made a record that the people of Lake county can well be proud of. He has tried a great number of important criminal cases with a marked degree of success. He has been fearless in performing his duties of the office, and at the same time he has always been fair. Mr. Thomas believes in fair treatment to all, which is evidenced by the fact that during the time he has been deputy prosecutor he has treated everybody alike, regardless of their race, color, wealth or position.

His ability as a lawyer and the fair and fearless manner in which he has discharged the duties of the office make him a strong candidate. He has many friends in all parts of the county who are working hard to secure his nomination. In fact, his campaign has been making such rapid progress that no matter into what part of Lake county you may go, you will hear he is said freely and often that Thomas will be the next Prosecutor. He is willing to be judged by the record he has made.

KENNEDY EXTENSION IS CHOSEN

The part of Kennedy avenue, extending from the Lincoln Highway at Schererville to the Hammond city limit has been designated by the Indiana State Highway Commission as a part of the State Highway system and as such will be maintained by the state. Secretary F. L. Evans of the East Chicago Chamber of Commerce who has been in communication with Director L. H. Wright of the Commission for several weeks and has urged that this stretch of road be included in the state system in order that the people of North Township might be served, today received the following letter from Mr. Wright:

"I recommend to the State Highway Commission that the road be designated as a part of the State Highway System, commencing at Schererville running thence in a northerly direction to Hammond. They acted favorably upon this recommendation and the governor has approved the same. I sincerely hope that this will meet with your approval and will give satisfaction to your people in that part of the state."

This road was recommended by the East Chicago Chamber of Commerce after it was learned that the state commission planned to build a state road north from the Lincoln Highway to Gary.

LAKE COUNTY MEN GET NEW PATENTS

The following Lake County men have been granted patents, it was announced from Washington, D. C., today:
Straube Piano Co., assigned through William G. Betz, Buffalo, a piano action for pianos; Robert F. Freeman, assignor to American Conduit Co., East Chicago, a tube forming machine; Herman A. Poppenhausen, Hammond, assignor to Green Engineering Co., East Chicago, a furnace.

DID YOU HEAR THAT

MRS. FLETCHER HUDSON has bought an Overland for delivery this month.

DR. FREDERICK BOCK is back from an over-Easter visit with his relatives at Taylorville, Ill.

SPRING vacation began yesterday. All children in public schools will be given one week's freedom.

A. C. RICHARDS of the Simplex, who has been on inspection duty at Beaver Dam, Wis., for the company, has returned here.

WEST HAMMOND had the snow plows out early Monday morning and had all the main thoroughfares opened up by noon.

If this column wanted to be unmerciful it might name a score of Hammond men who yesterday carried snow shovels in the back seat of their cars. Verily, a habit is hard to shake off.

JULIUS MEYN was ruthlessly torn from his desk at the bank yesterday and forced to sit on the jury in the alienation of affections suit which is being heard by his father-in-law, Judge Reiter.

TONIGHT is the night Mayor Brown is expected to announce to the Hammond council what his views are with respect to continuing or quitting the sale of government foodstuffs.

RALEIGH BRADFORD of Crown Point was in Hammond this morning looking over his political fence. "There's not a hole in it," said Brad before he left. "I'll go in without opposition."

E. G. SPROAT started the Hammond Building denizens Monday by showing up at his office at 7 a. m. "Had a chance to buck the snowdrifts in the other fellow's auto," was Eric's explanation and you can't blame him.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN KOWALSKI are moving their household effects into the J. A. Campbell home at Sibley and Forsyth ave. in West Hammond. Mrs. Kowalski purchased the property last week.

DR. BUCHANAN'S car stood in front of the De Luxe theatre from early Sunday till late Monday. "I might get it out before the snow thawed," says the doctor, "but I might not and I didn't want to lose confidence in it."

D. B. SEMCO, manager of the Lion Store furniture department, sort of leans toward Johnson. "In my estimation, Johnson is the only candidate with backbone. As a premature choice I would select Johnson."

SENTIMENT among the shop owners along Hohman and State streets may be summed up in an oft repeated phrase heard during the past two days: "We object to shoveling snow in the summer time."

EDDIE GOEHMINGER and Clarence Bates, the demon bowlers, who represented Hammond in the printers' tourney, want to get the men who deny they made good. They exhibit checks they won as prize money if they did amount to only three dollars.

GEORGE STELHORN is taking a little vacation at his former home in Indianapolis now that the income tax rush is over. He had planned to fix up the property he owns there and also put out some garden, garlic and such stuff, but the cold wave may spoil his plans.

THORNTON township, Ill., is holding an election of township assessor, collector and road supervisor today. The voting is listless and it looks as though John Jaranowski of Hammond would land the supervisor job with little opposition.

MRS. W. D. PATTON, vice chairman of the Republican Club, would like to see Gen. Leonard Wood at the head of the Republican ticket. "He is a good business man," she says, "and I do not think the people should oppose him simply because he is a military man."

H. A. LAMPRELL recalls that one of the arguments he, as Liberty bond salesman, was authorized to use was that the bonds would be acceptable to pay taxes with. He tried to pay his income tax with his bonds and they fired them back at him. "Talk about government repudiation," says Mr. Lamprell.

CLIM GUYKE, organist at the De Luxe theatre, is hot-footed after Old Man High Court. Clem planted a peach tree on Good Friday and may be seen any day looking over the fruit-recipe books at the public library. He expects to garner three bushels of free-stones this fall—maybe he will.

BERNIE SCHNEIDER, manager of the Heilerman shoe store, lends an attentive ear to political discussions of his customers. "The greater proportion seem to favor Johnson," says Schneider, "and for myself I think he's the best man. No, the wet-dry issue should not be raised."

THREE girls stood on Hohman street Sunday afternoon in the pelting wet snow. They were on their way to bond in adoration before some movie hero of theirs. One of them raised her face to the sky. "Please, God, make it stop snowing for me!" Down the faces of all three trickled little streams of water, washing away powder, cream and rouge. It was a pitiable sight, and not a lipstick in the bunch.

PAT REILLEY, alderman at large, believes the "play's the thing." Says Pat, "I like Cox of Ohio. He is a good man and you don't find him mixed up in petty political squabbles like the rest of them. Hoover? No. But if it's to be a Republican president, as it now appears, then my choice would be Johnson. He's a whirlwind and has a little of Teddy Roosevelt in him."

City of Frankfurt Which French Troops Took Today



Wood To Speak In Hammond

Presidential Candidate Will Open Indiana Campaign Here on April 26th.

WOOD TOUR OF STATE

General Wood will make a primary campaign tour of Indiana from April 26 to May 1, inclusive. While the schedule of addresses has not been completed, it is the plan to start at Hammond Monday morning, April 26. Speeches will be made that day at Princeton and on the Monro railroad, winding up with a speech at New Albany on Monday night.

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
Chicago, April 6.—Presidential Candidate Leonard Wood is somewhat wrathful today over arrangements which were made for his Illinois campaign tour. Starting on Monday, he discovered on leaving Chicago that a train of six Pullman cars had been provided for him, and the party of thirty-six accompanying him.

When the imposing train, carrying with it the hint of a display of campaign expenditure, arrived at the country towns enroute to Springfield, there was much questioning comment among the assembled farmers, who wanted to know all about it. Gen. Wood heard about it and was considerably angered. It was explained to Gen. Wood that the size of the train was due to the fact that all members of the party had insisted on saving lower berths. This did not appease his ire, however, and on reaching Springfield, he ordered the train cut in half.

WIFE CALLS RACINE MAYOR UNFAITHFUL

Cause of Divorce Suit is Said To Have Been Spirited To Hammond.

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
RACINE, Wis., April 6.—Mayor William H. Armstrong was accused today by Mrs. Davis Armstrong of having been too friendly with a maid in the Armstrong home, whom she says is either in Hammond or Chicago. Mrs. Armstrong was testifying in her action for divorce.

Mrs. Armstrong testified that Annie Eglick, the maid in question, had made affidavit to the alleged offense and had agreed to testify, but she cannot be found.

The court issued a writ of body attachment. It is said that the woman has been spirited away and she is believed to be either in Chicago or Hammond.

ERIE TRAINS STALLED IN DRIFTS

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
CROWN POINT, Ind., April 6.—Erie railroad trains were badly delayed last night by snow-drifts, which formed in the vicinity of Crown Point.

Two snow-plows were used to open the track at Crown Point and elsewhere near Chicago and all east-bound traffic on the Erie from Chicago was held up behind schedule.

Trains from the east arrived in this city on time. Officials announced today that little more difficulty is anticipated.

Better call up The Times and have it sent to your house every day.

FEED THE BIRDS

Among the worst sufferers from the snow storm are our friends from Birdland who are back from the Southland to spend the summer in the North. Unlucky as they are for the rigors of a northern winter, their suffering is great and they will die by the hundreds unless we take care of them. There is nothing for them to feed upon, and it is up to us all to supply them with food if they are to survive until the snow has passed away. Do your part by supplying them with the crumbs from your table.

Unique Divorce Suit Is On Trial

Gary Man Sues Another for Alienating Affections of Wife Now Dead.

For alienating the affections of his wife, now deceased, Moses E. Barney of Gary, is suing Milan Nedeff, also of Gary in the Hammond superior court. The trial is being held before Judge Reiter and a jury in Room 1. Barney asks for \$10,000 as compensation for the loss of his wife's affections and for the suffering which he underwent as a result of the break.

The Barney family moved to Gary from Goodland after living in Hammond for fifteen years according to testimony of the plaintiff. After living in Gary for a while it is said Nedeff began paying attentions to Mrs. Barney. He first started eating breakfasts at the house after Mr. Barney had gone to work. This resulted in a row when Barney learned of it.

The family moved to another part of the city, but Barney says they were unable to shake Nedeff for he soon appeared and asked to rent a room at the house. Barney remonstrated, but nevertheless Nedeff moved in and lived with them. Nedeff is accused of giving the woman large sums of money on several occasions. At another time while she was in the hospital he gave her a fine necklace.

A separation finally occurred between the Barneys and the woman lived in another part of the city. She also applied for a divorce. However, the divorce suit was never tried for she died last year. The damage suit of Barney against Nedeff for winning away the affections of his wife had also been filed before the woman's death, but Barney refused to drop it and insisted upon it being brought to trial.

The death of the woman introduces complications in the testimony owing to the fact that her part of any conversations must be passed up owing to the fact that she cannot substantiate or controvert it. Barney took her witness stand Monday afternoon and was under direct examination until the middle of this forenoon. He will probably occupy the stand the rest of the day.

Barney's three children, his brother and several other witnesses are also on hand to testify.

BRYAN SAYS OWEN'S WORTHY

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
SAINT LAKE, UTAH, April 6.—"Of all the U. S. today there is not an other one I would rather support for president than Senator Robert L. Owen."

Such was the declaration made today by William Jennings Bryan in an address here at the Jefferson Day banquet.

"I know the democrats," Bryan said, "and if you judge my word as of any value, I am glad to tell you that I have watched and known Senator Owen. He is worthy to be president of the U. S."

NICK KILAVOS FINED FOR KEEPING A GAMBLING HOUSE

Judge Klotz, in City Court, Defers Sentence in Welby Razor Case.

In a special session of the city court last night one man was convicted of keeping a gambling house, another of gambling and a third of passing a worthless check.

Nick Kilavos, who conducts the Broadway pool parlors in West State street and who has been arrested three times by police, was again arraigned last night in the city court and received a fine of \$10 and costs when he was found guilty of keeping a gambling house. He pleaded not guilty to the charge but evidence furnished by Peter Trost, aged 19 years, arrested at the place on a charge of gambling, was termed by the court sufficient for conviction.

Trost who was charged by Welby Razor with having received him of \$45 at "craps" in the pool-room of Kilavos, pleaded not guilty to a charge of gambling and stated that all players were picked up the money for the winner. Judge Klotz, reviewing the evidence, said, "Although Trost took the money off the table for the offense of gambling was committed and I will fine him \$5 and costs. I am sure that he knows more than he has told."

Welby Razor, the young man from Kouts, Ind., pleaded guilty to cashing a worthless check and the court deferred sentence. Razor has been arraigned before in the Hammond city court on the same charge but his father made good the checks and the young man was released. In this case he pleads that in attempting to cash the check for \$20 he sought to acquire railroad fare home after losing his money to Peter Trost in the pool-room of Nick Kilavos, and arriving at the paternal home he intended, he says to cover the amount of the check at the Kouts bank. The interference of detectives Elnesse and Singer frustrated these plans and now the young man from Kouts, Ind., is facing a stiff sentence.

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
CROWN POINT, Ind., April 6.—At one o'clock this afternoon the State of Indiana began hearing the evidence in the Wm. Price case, before Judge Smith in the criminal court. Price is charged with assault and battery with intent to commit rape on a Hammond girl and is defended by Alty. Ira Tilton of Valparaiso. The morning was spent in getting a jury, the defense challenging five of the panel. W. E. Kruger, 1143 S. Hohman st., Hammond, is the only Hammond man on the jury. The state is represented by Prosecutors Marsh and Griffith. Atty. Marsh says he will introduce ten witnesses who will go into Price's career for the past eight years. Tilton, for the defense, said that Price had been hounded for ten years because of a verdict he rendered once while sitting as special judge in an East Chicago court.

PRICE ON TRIAL AT CROWN POINT

Gen. DeGouette, commander of the French troops on the Rhine, has declared a state of siege at Frankfurt and Darmstadt, the dispatch added.

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TRouble WITH THEIR LICENSES

(SPECIAL TO THE TIMES)
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Edgar Brothy and L. C. Massarik were placed under arrest by motor-car for speeding.

The men were all arraigned before special Judge Dwyer, Hansen being discharged, but the other offenders were each fined one dollar and costs.

AMERICAN LEGION

Notice to American Legion and all service men:
The regular monthly meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Wednesday evening, April 7th. Action will be taken at this time on the bonus question and arrangements made for opening of new quarters.

OCCUPATION OF 5 CITIES IS COMPLETE

Reichswehr Ordered to Retire at Approach of French Which They Did.

BULLETIN.
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
COBLENZ, April 6.—A general strike was called at Wiesbaden, capital of the Prussian province of Hesse-Nassau, today, as a result of the news that the French had started an advance from the Rhine.

BULLETIN.
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
LONDON, April 6.—It was reported in authoritative quarters that Washington has protested against the French occupation of towns in the German neutral zone. The protest was said to have been made in "clear terms."

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(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
LONDON, April 6.—One hundred thousand French troops are being moved forward from the Rhine into the German neutral zone by Marshal Foch, according to a report current here today.

It is understood from a reliable source that the British have removed their former opposition to the advance of the French forces. This reversal is said to be based upon the conviction that the German government has sent more than a mere police force into the Ruhr district.

BULLETIN.
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
BERLIN, April 6.—Herr Wilhelm Meurer, German charge d'affaires at Paris, reported today that he had received a note from Premier Millerand stating that French occupation of Frankfurt, Hanau, Darmstadt, Homburg and Dierburg will end as soon as the German troops are withdrawing from the Ruhr district.

BULLETIN.
(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
BERLIN, April 6.—News of the French occupation of Darmstadt was received here at noon. The French Rhine fleet appeared before the town and Berlin to retire at the approach of the French. They did so according to authentic advices.

When the French forces arrived at Frankfurt they found only local police on duty and no German soldiers.

There were some reichswehr battalions at Darmstadt when the French arrived, but they quickly withdrew ten kilo meters (between six and seven miles) from the town.

FORBID STREET TRAFFIC.
The French military authorities in the neutral zone have ordered a complete traffic in streets between 9 p. m. and 5 a. m. Transport with the rest of Germany has been cut off except for the movement of food. Censorship has been established and the newspapers have been suspended.

Devoted to the idea that Marshal Foch, foreseeing allied opposition to the French troop movement, ordered the French forces to advance immediately. The occupation of the towns in the neutral zone have already led to important diplomatic exchanges, it is understood.

STATE OF SIEGE AT FRANKFORT.
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